PATENT APPLICATION

RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR §1.116 EXPEDITED PROCEDURE TECHNOLOGY CENTER ART UNIT 3616

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Tatsuya HAYAKAWA et al. Group Art Unit: 3616

Application No.: 10/542,648 Examiner: T. WILHELM

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For: KNEE PROTECTION APPARATUS FOR VEHICLE OCCUPANT

AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION UNDER 37 CFR §1.116

Commissioner for Patents

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Sir:

In reply to the December 7, 2009 Office Action, please consider the following:

Amendments to the Claims as reflected in the listing of claims; and

Remarks.

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